

EXHIBIT 1

Declaration of Stephenson Teneng

1. I, Stephenson Teneng am currently detained at FCI Victorville II.
2. I arrived at FCI Victorville on June 8, 2018.
3. I am currently seeking asylum in the U.S.
4. I am currently housed in a cell with one other person in E unit.
5. Two days after I arrived, I saw a dentist who examined my teeth. The dentist, a woman, identified some problems with my teeth and gums, including a hole in one tooth. The hole was in a tooth on the left side of my face. She had a form where she noted the hole. She didn't ask if ~~the~~ I had pain. At the time I didn't feel any pain.
6. Later that night around 11pm. I began feeling pain on and off. This was Sunday.
7. On Sunday night I told a member of the medical staff who was passing out medications about my pain, but she said "Things don't work ^{like} that here." She told me I had to inform officers about the pain and they would inform medical.
8. On Monday afternoon I told an officer about my tooth pain. He told me he would tell

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medical but nothing happened.
9. On Monday night I started feeling
continuous pain from the tooth.
It was the worst pain

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2 I felt in my life. I could not sleep on
3 Monday night.

4 10. ^{on} Tuesday I ~~asked~~ told the medical staff
5 member who was passing out medications about
6 my pain. Her name was Harris. She wrote down
7 my name, and told me she would inform
8 medical.

9 11. On Wednesday I spoke to another medical
10 staff member who was passing out medications.

11 12. The same happened on Thursday.

12 13. On Friday I ^{told} ~~asked~~ a medical staff member
13 that nothing was being done about my pain.
14 At that point, a male medical staff
15 member intervened and told me, "~~You shouldn't~~
16 Don't speak to us like that as if we're
17 irresponsible." He told the officer to lock
18 me in my cell. I hadn't sworn, I hadn't
19 yelled, and I wasn't disrespectful. It was
20 loud in the hall because there were lots of
21 ~~prisoners~~ detainees, but I only spoke loudly so she
22 could hear me.

23 14. The officer locked me in my cell. I asked
24 him why, but he just said "Back to your
25 cell" and pushed me on my back toward
26 my cell.⁴

27 15. I was locked in my cell for nearly an
28 hour. Everyone else was in the day room.

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10. At lunch time, ^{11:30 am} the same officer came to my cell to ask if I wanted to eat. I asked him, "How can I eat when I have a toothache?" He said "Whatever" and locked the cell again. They did not bring any food to my cell.

18. ~~After lunch~~, when other detainees came back to the dayroom, the same officer ^{from before} allowed me to come out of my cell.

19. In my time here at Victorville, I have never seen another dentist, I have not been to medical, for the toothache, and staff has never given ^{me} pain killers.

20. At that time, we did not have access to commissary & I could not buy pain killers. I stopped asking for help with my toothache. Luckily, the pain started to subside.

21. I still feel pain when I eat on the left side of my mouth. I try to chew using the right side of my mouth.

17. ~~Additionally~~, After lunch, a lieutenant came to my cell, before I was let out. He asked what happened. ~~He said~~ I told him I hadn't received any attention for my tooth for almost a week. He told me, "This is a federal prison." ~~He said~~ He said I should be patient or else they'd spray pepper spray into my

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1 eyes. He also said I would be sent to
 2 ICE to be deported to where I came from,
 3 if I didn't calm down. I asked him if
 4 5 days without painkillers for a tooth-
 5 ache was normal, and he said, "No, it
 6 wasn't normal." I was in so much pain I
 7 felt that he should deport me, so I could
 8 get help in my country. I didn't expect
 9 to be sent to prison. I came here as an
 10 asylum seeker, seeking liberty. He told me
 11 the rules at a federal prison are stricter,
 12 than a jail. ~~He left my cell.~~ I told him
 13 I wished I could buy painkillers with my
 14 money. He left my cell.
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 17 I, ~~the~~ Stephenson tenang, declare under penalty
 18 of perjury that the foregoing is true and
 19 correct and that this declaration was
 20 completed and signed on July 13, 2018 at
 21 Victorville, California.
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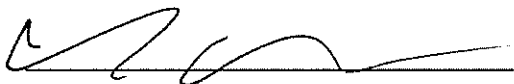
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Declaration of Rekha Arulanantham

I, Rekha Arulanantham, declare:

1. I am fluent in English.
2. On July 17, 18, and 19, 2018, I met with immigration detainees at FCI Victorville II.
3. One of the detainees with whom I met was Mr. Stephenson Awah Tenang.
4. After meeting with Mr. Tenang on July 18, I helped him to draft a declaration accounting his experiences at FCI Victorville II in English.
5. Because Mr. Tenang is a fluent English speaker, I did not need to translate the contents of his declaration to him.

I declare under penalty of perjury of the laws of the State of California and the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct, and that this declaration was executed on July 31, 2018 in Washington, DC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rekha Arulanantham', written over a horizontal line.

Rekha Arulanantham